19.1406 Sole source awards to service-disabled veteran-owned small business concerns.

- (a) A contracting officer shall consider a contract award to a SDVOSB concern on a sole source basis (see 6.302-5(b)(6)), before considering small business set-asides (see 19.203 and subpart 19.5) provided none of the exclusions of 19.1404 apply and—
- (1) The *contracting officer* does not have a reasonable expectation that *offers* would be received from two or more *service-disabled veteran-owned small business concerns*;
 - (2) The anticipated award price of the contract, including options, will not exceed-
 - (i) \$7 million for a requirement within the NAICS codes for manufacturing; or
 - (ii) \$4 million for a requirement within any other NAICS code;
- (3) The requirement is not currently being performed by an 8(a) participant under the provisions of <u>subpart 19.8</u> or has been accepted as a requirement by SBA under <u>subpart 19.8</u>;
- (4) The *service-disabled veteran-owned small business concern* has been determined to be a responsible contractor with respect to performance; and
 - (5) Award can be made at a fair and reasonable price.
- (b) The SBA has the right to appeal the *contracting officer*'s decision not to make a service-disabled veteran-owned small business sole source award.

 $\textbf{Parent topic:} \ \, \textbf{Subpart 19.14 - Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business Procurement} \\ \underline{\textbf{Program}}$